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Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (NPDES PERMIT NO. CA0077712)

FOR

CITY OF AUBURN
WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT
PLACER COUNTY

TO ALL CONCERNED PERSONS AND AGENCIES:

Enclosed are the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) for the City of Auburn (Discharger), Wastewater Treatment Plant (Facility). Any comments or recommendations you may have concerning the tentative WDRs should be submitted to this office via email to **RB5S-NPDES-Comments@waterboards.ca.gov**, no later than 5:00 p.m. on **20 June 2016** in order for us to give them full consideration prior to the meeting of the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Water Board). Written material submitted after 5:00 p.m. on **20 June 2016** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record absent a ruling by the Board Chair. Any party requesting to submit late materials must demonstrate good cause for the late submission, and the Board Chair must find that accepting the late submission will not prejudice the Central Valley Water Board or any Designated Party.

A Public Hearing has been scheduled for the Central Valley Water Board to consider adoption of the tentative Order at its **23/24 June 2016** Board Meeting. A Notice of Public Hearing (Notice) concerning the tentative Orders is also enclosed. Regulations require that the Discharger publish the Notice in a local newspaper for one (1) day. The expense of publication is to be paid by the Discharger. Additionally, regulations require that the Discharger post one (1) copy of the Notice at the nearest city hall or county courthouse, one (1) copy at the post office nearest to the Facility (if allowed), and one (1) copy at the public entrance to the Facility. Please publish and post the Notice as soon as possible and submit to this office proof of posting, using the enclosed form, and proof of publication by **10 June 2016**. Proof of publication shall consist of an affidavit from the newspaper along with a copy of the published notice. In addition, if possible, please post the Notice on the Discharger's website.

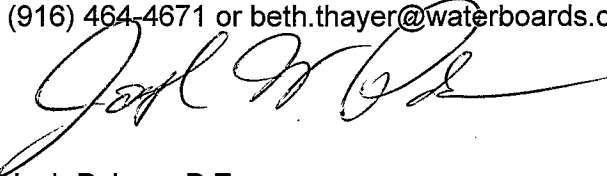
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To conserve resources, this letter transmits a paper copy of the tentative Order package to the Discharger only. Interested persons may download the document from the Central Valley Water Board's Internet website at

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/tentative_orders. Copies of the documents may also be obtained by contacting or visiting the Central Valley Water Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670, weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions regarding the tentative Order, please contact Elizabeth Thayer at (916) 464-4671 or beth.thayer@waterboards.ca.gov.



Josh Palmer, P.E.
Senior Engineer

Enclosures (3): Tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (Discharger Only)
Notice of Public Hearing (Discharger Only)
Proof of Posting Form (Discharger Only)

cc: David Smith, USEPA, Region IX, San Francisco (via email only)
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Regional Manager, Department of Fish & Game, Region II, Rancho Cordova
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Nicholas Fonseca, Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians, Shingle Springs
Bill Jennings, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance, Stockton
Richard McHenry, California Sportfishing Protection Alliance (via email only)
Debbie Webster, Central Valley Clean Water Association, Grass Valley
Rick Johnson, Ophir Area Property Owners Association, Inc., Newcastle
Ronald Otto, Vice-chair OPOA; Chair, Auburn Ravine Pres. Comm, Auburn
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Jack L. Sanchez, Save Auburn Ravine Salmon and Steelhead (SARSAS), Auburn
Dan Rich, NEXGEN, Sacramento